

# Request for Redress

Protest No: 27

Received At: 2022-09-03 17:09 ADT

## 1. Event Name: 2022 49er, 49erFX and Nacra 17 World Championships

Protest On: 2022-09-03

Race No: 9

## 2. Hearing Type

- Protest
- Protest by RC
- Protest by PC
- Protest by TC

- Request to Reopen
- Reopening by PC
- Request for Redress
- Request for Redress by RC

## 3. Protestor

49er - USA 508 - Charlie Hibben

## 4. Protestees

1. 49er - CAN 172 - Arie Moffat

## 5. Incident

**Time Place:** Race 9 start of Second Upwind

**Rules:** 10

**Witnesses:**

## 6. Informing Protestee

**Hail:**

**Hail When:** Immediately

**Hail Comment:** Protest

**Red Flag:**

**Red Flag Comment**

**Other:**

**Other Comment:**

## 7. Description Of Incident

CAN 172 was on port tack sailing upwind. USA 508 was on starboard tack. The boats were meeting bow to bow. CAN 172 failed to keep clear, causing USA 508 to crash tack. Contact between the boats caused a hole in USA's port side, about half way between the shroud and the bow. The collision caused USA 508 to capsize. The hole in the hull was patched with tape to make it back to shore.

CAN 172 completed a penalty turn and team USA's boat builder began repairs on USA 508's hull immediately once USA 508 reached the shore. USA 508 is expected to sail tomorrow.

## 8. Damage Or Injury

An approximate 6 inch hole on the port side of USA 508's hull, half way in between the shroud and the forestay.

## Attachments

